



2010-2011 PETITION/PROGRAM SHEET

Degree: Bachelor of Arts

Major: Music

Concentration: Liberal Arts

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About This Major . . .

The Bachelor of Arts in Music with a concentration in Liberal Arts is designed to meet the needs of students seeking extended training in music but who are not interested in pursuing preparation for a career in performance or public/private school music teaching. This degree includes a strong but flexible composite of music studies and additional studies in the related arts as well as the flexibility to pursue other academic areas of interest. Music Majors admitted to this Liberal Arts concentration will be strong in music and academics, and along with their music training will achieve both broad and specific learning in other academic areas of interest. They will be prepared to pursue graduate studies in music and careers in many areas of music and the arts.

POLICIES:

- 1. It is your responsibility to determine whether you have met the requirements for your degree. Please see the MSC Catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
2. You must turn in your "Intent to Graduate" form to the Registrar's Office by September 15 if you plan to graduate the following May, and by February 15 if you plan to graduate the following December.
3. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the semester prior to the semester of graduation, no later than October 1 for spring graduates, no later than March 1 for fall graduates.
4. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature.
5. Finally, the Department Head or the department administrative assistant will take the signed forms to the Registrar's Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
6. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your "Intent to Graduate" does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
7. NOTE: The semester before graduation, you will be required to take a Major Field Achievement Test (exit exam).

NAME: STUDENT ID #

LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER:

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I, (Signature), hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

Signature of Advisor Date 20

Signature of Department Head Date 20

Signature of Registrar Date 20

**Students should work closely with a faculty advisor when selecting and scheduling courses prior to registration.**

**Degree Requirements:**

- 120 semester hours total (A minimum of 28 taken at MSC in no fewer than two semesters).
- 40 upper division credits (A minimum of 15 taken at the 300-400 course levels within the major at MSC).
- 2.00 cumulative GPA or higher in all MSC coursework
- 2.00 cumulative GPA or higher in coursework toward the major content area
- Pre-collegiate courses (usually numbered below 100) cannot be used for graduation.
- When filling out the program sheet a course can be used only once.
- A student must follow the MSC graduation requirements either from 1) the program sheet for the major in effect at the time the student officially declares a major; or 2) a program sheet for the major approved for a year subsequent to the year during which the student officially declares the major and is approved for the student by the department head. Because a program may have requirements specific to the degree, the student should check with the faculty advisor for additional criteria. It is the student's responsibility to be aware of, and follow, all requirements for the degree being pursued. Any exceptions or substitutions must be approved by the student's faculty advisor and Department Head.
- See the "Undergraduate Graduation Requirements" in the Mesa State College catalog for additional graduation information.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (31 semester hours)**

See the current Mesa State College catalog for a list of courses that fulfill the requirements below. If a course is on the general education list of options and a requirement for your major, you must use it to fulfill the major requirement and make a different selection within the general education requirement.

Course No	Title	Sem.hrs	Grade	Term/Trns
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**English** (6 semester hours, must receive a grade of "C" or better and must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)

ENGL 111	English Composition	3	_____	_____
ENGL 112	English Composition	3	_____	_____

**Math:** MATH 110 or higher (3 semester hours, must receive a grade of "C" or better, must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)

MATH 1	_____	_____	_____	_____
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**Humanities** (3 semester hours)

**Social and Behavioral Sciences** (6 semester hours)

**Natural Sciences** (7 semester hours, one course must include a lab)

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**History** (3 semester hours)

HIST	_____	_____	_____	_____
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**Fine Arts** (3 semester hours)

MUSA 220	_____	3	_____	_____
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**OTHER LOWER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS (6 semester hours)**

**Kinesiology** (3 semester hours)

KINE 100	Health and Wellness	1	_____	_____
KINA 1	_____	1	_____	_____
KINA 1	_____	1	_____	_____

**Applied Studies** (3 semester hours)

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**FOUNDATION COURSES (23 semester hours)**

MUSA 111	Music Technology	1	_____	_____
MUSA 114	Theory I	3	_____	_____
MUSA 115	Theory II	3	_____	_____
MUSA 116	Ear Training & Sight Singing I	2	_____	_____
MUSA 117	Ear Training & Sight Singing II	2	_____	_____
MUSA 214	Theory III	3	_____	_____
MUSA 215	Theory IV	3	_____	_____
MUSL 1	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSL 1	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSL 2	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 1	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 1	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 2	_____	1	_____	_____

**BACHELOR OF ARTS in MUSIC: Liberal Arts Concentration (60 semester hours)**

**Music Core (35 semester hours)**

MUSA 250	Beginning Conducting	2	_____	_____
Select 3 semester hours of Music Literature from MUSA 302, MUSA303, MUSA 304, MUSA 318, or MUSA 319				
MUSA 3	_____	3	_____	_____
MUSA 326	Music History I	3	_____	_____
MUSA 327	Music History II	3	_____	_____
MUSA 426	The Music of World Cultures	2	_____	_____
MUSA 363	Music Industry and Marketing	3	_____	_____
MUSL 2	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSL 3	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSL 3	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSL 4	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSL 4	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 2	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 3	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 3	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 4	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 4	_____	1	_____	_____
MUSP 420	Senior Recital	1	_____	_____

**Upper Division Music Electives (2 semester hours)**

Select from any 3XX or 4XX MUSA MUSL, or MUSP courses

MUS	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS	_____	_____	_____	_____
FLA	_____	3	_____	_____
FLA	_____	3	_____	_____

Course No	Title	Sem.hrs	Grade	Term/Trns
<b>General Curricula Electives (25 semester hours)</b>				
**May not be used to fulfill General Education requirements**				
Select 3 semester hours from ARTE 115, DANC 114, THEA 141:				
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
Select 3 sem hrs from BUGB, CISB, CSCI, MANG, MARK or FINA				
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
Select 3 sem hrs from ARTE, DANC, or THEA				
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
Select 1 semester hour of elective courses outside of music				
_____	_____	1	_____	_____

Course No	Title	Sem.hrs	Grade	Term/Trns
<b>** Combined upper division credits from the following two categories must total at least 15 hours. **</b>				
Select 6-12 sem hrs from any upper division courses outside of music				
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

**Elective Upper Division Music Courses (3-9 semester hours)**  
 Select 3-9 semester hours from the Electives list below (must include at least one MUSA course):

MUSA	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS_	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS_	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS_	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS_	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS_	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS_	_____	_____	_____	_____
MUS_	_____	_____	_____	_____

\*\*Students should carefully plan general education choices to meet prerequisites of desired Elective Upper Division General Studies courses.\*\*

**UPPER DIVISION MUSIC ELECTIVES:**

- MUSA 310 Accompanying Techniques (2)
- MUSA 317 Orchestration (2)
- MUSA 337 Diction For Singers (2)
- MUSA 340 Teaching Elementary and General Music: Methods, Principles, and Materials (3)
- MUSA 350A Advanced Conducting: Choral (2)

- MUSA 350B Advanced Conducting: Instrumental (2)
- MUSA 368 Advanced Jazz Improvisation (2)
- MUSA 410 Vocal Pedagogy (3)
- MUSA 411 Piano Pedagogy (3)
- MUSL 3XX-4XX Applied Music Lessons
- MUSP 3XX-4XX Performance Ensembles

**Additional Requirements**

Students deficient in piano skills will be required to complete MUSA 130 (2), MUSA 131 (2), MUSA 230 (2), MUSA 231 (2), in the first two years. Some General Education credits will have to be completed in the junior year. Students must meet departmental recital/concert attendance requirements.

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCING FOR A MAJOR IN MUSIC – LIBERAL ARTS

NOTE: Students deficient in piano skills will be required to complete Class Piano I, II, III and IV during the first two years.

This is a recommended sequence of course work. Certain courses may have prerequisites or are only offered during the Fall or Spring semesters. It is the student's responsibility to meet with the assigned advisor and check the 2 year course matrix on the Mesa State website for course availability.

NOTE: ( ) Parenthesis means there are options of when a course may be taken.

### FRESHMAN YEAR

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
MUSA 114 Theory I	3	MUSA 115 Theory II	3
MUSA 116 Ear Training/Sightsinging I	2	MUSA 117 Ear Training/Sightsinging II	2
MUSA 111 Music Technology – fall or spring	(1)	MUSA 111 Music Technology – fall or spring	(1)
MUSL 1XX Applied Lessons	1	MUSL 1XX Applied Lessons	1
MUSP 1XX Performance Ensemble	1	MUSP 1XX Performance Ensemble	1
ENGL 111 English Composition	3	ENGL 112 English Composition	3
KINE 100 Health and Wellness	1	KINA ____ Activity	1
General Education Soc Sci/Beh Sci	<u>3</u>	General Education Social and Behavioral Science	<u>3</u>
	<b>14-15</b>		<b>14-15</b>

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
MUSA 214 Theory III	3	MUSA 215 Theory IV	3
MUSL 2XX Applied Lessons	1	MUSL 2XX Applied Lessons	1
MUSP 2XX Performance Ensemble	1	MUSP 2XX Performance Ensemble	1
General Education Humanities	3	KINA ____ Activity	1
General Education Mathematics	3	MUSA 220 Music Appreciation-Fine Arts GE	3
General Education Natural Science w/Lab	4	General Education Natural Science	3
Gen Curricula Elec Non-Music Elective-100/200 level	<u>1</u>	MUSA 250 Beginning Conducting	2
	<b>18</b>	Gen Curricula Elec Art, Theatre, or Dance Appreciation	<u>3</u>
			<b>17</b>

### JUNIOR YEAR

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
MUSL 3XX Applied Lessons	1	MUSA 3XX Symphonic/Choral/Vocal Literature	(3)
MUSP 3XX Performance Ensemble	1	MUSL 3XX Applied Lessons	1
General Education History	3	MUSP 3XX Performance Ensemble	1
FLA ____ Foreign Language	3	FLA ____ Foreign Language	3
Gen Curricula Elec Art/Dance/Theatre	3	MUSA 426 The Music of World Cultures <b>OR</b>	(2)
MUSA 363 Music Industry & Marketing	<u>(3)</u>	BUGB/CISB/CSCI/MANG/MARK/FINA Elective	(3)
	<b>14</b>	Upper Division Music Elective	<u>2</u>
			<b>9-13</b>

### SENIOR YEAR

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
MUSL 4XX Applied Lessons	1	MUSA 3XX Symphonic/Choral/Vocal Literature	(3)
MUSP 4XX Performance Ensemble	1	MUSL 4XX Applied Lessons	1
MUSA 326 Music History I	3	MUSP 420 Senior Recital	1
General Education Applied Studies	3	MUSP 4XX Performance Ensemble	1
MUSA 363 Music Industry & Marketing	<u>(3)</u>	MUSA 327 Music History II	3
	<b>11</b>	BUGB/CISB/CSCI/MANG/MARK/FINA Elective	<u>(3)</u>
			<b>11-12</b>

Choose from the following – add to semesters of junior and senior year as needed:

Upper Div **General Curricula** electives outside music **6-12**

Upper Div. **Elective Music courses** **3-9**  
(include one MUSA course)